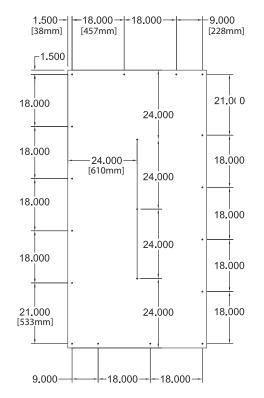
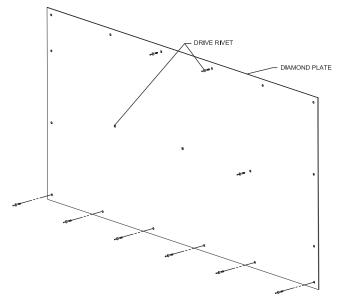
## **Installation Instructions**

## **Nu**•Tree Diamond Plate Sheet

## FIG. 1







## Please read all instructions before installing sheet material.

Before installation:

a. Diamond plate sheet does have shade variations. When installing, group similar shades together for a more uniform look.

b. Acclimate Diamond plate sheet and wall substrates to room temperature 24 hours before installation

c. 24 hours before, during and 48 hours after installation, maintain a building temperature between 70-80°F and keep humidity below 80%

d. Substrate must be dry.

- 1. Install sheets level and plumb. Snap a chalk line to help maintain level during the installation. Pre-fit each panel before fastening. Leave an <sup>1</sup>/<sup>8</sup> gap when butting against other sheet or surfaces. This includes flooring, and ceilings.
- 2. Drill  $\frac{5}{16}$ " holes around the perimeter of the 4' x 8' sheet,  $\frac{11}{2}$ " in from edges. Follow the pattern in figure 1. Drill  $\frac{5}{16}$ " holes in the field of the sheet following the pattern in figure 1.
- 3. Hold the sheet in position on the wall and transfer the hole locations to the wall.
- 4. Drill <sup>1</sup>/4" holes at each mark.
- 5. Hold the sheet against the wall. Start in the middle of the sheet and insert the drive rivet into a hole.
- 6. Hammer the plastic pin into the rivet until the pin is flush with the head of the rivet.
- 7. Continue fastening the panel to the wall with drive rivets working from the center and working outward.
- 8. Seal edges and gaps with clear silicone caulk.

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